

Food and Drug Administration Silver Spring MD 20993

NDA 202439/S-020

#### SUPPLEMENT APPROVAL

Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc Attention: Purve Patel Director, Regulatory Affairs, Cardiovascular and Metabolism 920 U.S. Highway 202 PO Box 300 Raritan NJ, 08869-0602

Dear Ms. Patel:

Please refer to your Supplemental New Drug Application (sNDA) dated September 9, 2016, submitted under section 505(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FDCA) for XARELTO (rivaroxaban) 15 and 20 mg tablets.

This "Changes Being Effected" supplemental new drug application provides for updates to the labeling to align NDA 202439 with that of the most recently approved labeling for NDA 022406.

#### **APPROVAL & LABELING**

We have completed our review of this supplemental application, as amended. It is approved, effective on the date of this letter, for use as recommended in the enclosed, agreed-upon labeling text.

### **CONTENT OF LABELING**

As soon as possible, but no later than 14 days from the date of this letter, submit the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(1)] in structured product labeling (SPL) format using the FDA automated drug registration and listing system (eLIST), as described at <u>http://www.fda.gov/ForIndustry/DataStandards/StructuredProductLabeling/default.htm</u>. Content of labeling must be identical to the enclosed labeling (text for the package insert, text for the patient package insert, Medication Guide), with the addition of any labeling changes in pending "Changes Being Effected" (CBE) supplements, as well as annual reportable changes not included in the enclosed labeling.

Information on submitting SPL files using eList may be found in the guidance for industry titled "SPL Standard for Content of Labeling Technical Qs and As at http://www.fda.gov/downloads/DrugsGuidanceComplianceRegulatoryInformation/Guidances/U CM072392.pdf

The SPL will be accessible from publicly available labeling repositories.

Also within 14 days, amend all pending supplemental applications that include labeling changes for this NDA, including CBE supplements for which FDA has not yet issued an action letter, with the content of labeling [21 CFR 314.50(l)(1)(i)] in MS Word format, that includes the changes approved in this supplemental application, as well as annual reportable changes and annotate each change. To facilitate review of your submission, provide a highlighted or marked-up copy that shows all changes, as well as a clean Microsoft Word version. The marked-up copy should provide appropriate annotations, including supplement number(s) and annual report date(s).

## **REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

We remind you that you must comply with reporting requirements for an approved NDA (21 CFR 314.80 and 314.81).

If you have any questions, please call Michael Monteleone, Associate Director for Labeling at (301) 796-1952.

Sincerely,

{See appended electronic signature page}

Mary Ross Southworth, PharmD Deputy Director for Safety Division of Cardiovascular and Renal Drug Products Office of Drug Evaluation I Center for Drug Evaluation and Research

ENCLOSURE(S): Content of Labeling

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